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Title: METHOD OF DECODING TIME INFORMATION OF VIDEO IMAGE

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- Application 27 pages, including 4 independent claims and 17 claims 1. total.
- Drawings 6 sheets of formal drawings containing 8 figures. 2.
- Declaration and Power of Attorney. 3.
- Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha 4. Toshiba.
- Certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2000-200125, filed June 30, 5. 2000.
- Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, 6. PTO 1449 with 1 document attached.
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| Total Claims                                      | 17                  | - | 20    |                 | x \$18 |    |        |
| Independent Claims                                | 4                   | - | 3     | 1               | x \$80 |    | 80.00  |
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 2000-200125, filed June 30, 2000.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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